Rail Neer Plants

3791. SHRI VIJAY J. DARDA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the two Rail Neer Plants located at Nangloi, Delhi and Danapur, Bihar are sufficient to cater to needs of entire railway network;

(b) whether Government are considering any agreements to set up such units in other parts of the country; and

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Indian Railway Catering and Tourism Corporation will set up "Rail Neer" Plants throughout the country in a phased manner.

Recruitment in North Frontier Railway

3792. SHRI KARNENDU BHATTACHARJEE: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to refer to answer to Unstarred Question 2526, given in the Rajya Sabha on the 17th March, 2006 and state:

(a) what is the number of employees recruited to various posts by North Frontier Railway on the recommendations of Railway Recruitment Board, Guwahati during the last two years;

(b) what is the State/domicile-wise distribution of these candidates indicating the name of posts, number of employees recruited and their State of domicile and name of the relevant examination;

(c) what was the number of applications received from the candidates State-wise; and

(d) what are the yardsticks fixed by the Recruitment Board for selecting candidates against these posts?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI R. VELU): (a) 2004-05-421 (Four hundred twenty one).

2005-06-3149 (Three thousand one hundred forty nine).